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Applicant: T. Ikeda et al.  
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Title: OPTICAL OUTPUT DEVICE, RELAY DEVICE, AND PROGRAM  
CONTROLLING OPTICAL OUTPUT DEVICE  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Title** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 17 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheets.
- Amendments to the Abstract** are on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper. A clean version of the Abstract is on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.

**Amendments to the Title:**

Please replace the title with the following:

~~OPTICAL OUTPUT DEVICE, RELAY DEVICE, AND PROGRAM CONTROLLING OPTICAL OUTPUT  
DEVICE~~  
LIGHT OUTPUT DEVICE, RELAY AND PROGRAM FOR CONTROLLING THE LIGHT OUTPUT DEVICE